



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Schaub

Group Art Unit: 2663

Appl. Ser. No.: 09/930,597

Examiner: Ferris, Derrick W.

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Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING PACKETS IN A SHARED
MEMORY BUFFER THAT SERVES MULTIPLE OUTPUT LINKS

ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.27

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner,

The above-identified pending utility patent application is entitled to small entity status. The above-identified pending utility patent application meets the small entity status criteria defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.27(a).

The undersigned is the Attorney of Record for the above-identified pending utility patent application.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark A. Wilson".

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